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THURSDAY, JAN. 21st, 1892.

DEATH OF THE DUKE OF CLARENCE.

The grim monarch Death has again invaded the circle of the Royal Family of England, and claimed as his victim the Duke of Clarence, eldest son of the Prince of Wales, and heir presumptive to the British throne. The Prince died at Sandringham on Thursday last after a short illness. The event has caused the most profound sorrow in England and abroad, and the sympathy for the grief-stricken family is deep and sincere. The Duke of Clarence had endeared himself to the hearts of the people by his affectionate and amiable disposition, and his royal grandmother, Queen Victoria, to whom he was greatly attached, feels keenly the stroke of affliction, and the Prince and Princess of Wales are suffering in health, caused by the strain of anxiety and watching. The Princess Mary, the deceased Duke's betrothed, and who was to have been married in a few weeks, was prostrated on hearing of the death of her lover. Manifestations of sympathy have been evinced throughout the Dominion of Canada, and in the Territories flags were hoisted to half mast. The Legislative Assembly adjourned on the announcement being made by the Lieutenant-Governor Royal.

THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

WEDNESDAY, Jan. 6th.

The Speaker laid on the table all papers, reports, etc., relating to the visit of the Advisory Council delegation to Ottawa, also papers relating to the claim of Lariviere.

Petitions and reports were presented, and Mr. Dill introduced an ordinance to authorize the formation of an association under the name of the Dairyman's Association of the North-West Territories. The bill was read the first time.

Dr. Brett introduced an ordinance to confer certain powers on the Bell Telephone Co. of Canada.

THE LICENSE BILL.

Mr. Cayley moved the second reading of an Ordinance respecting the sale of intoxicating liquors and the issue of licenses therefor. He said, "Although the bill had been distributed for some few days it was probable that some members might not have been able up to this time to thoroughly acquaint themselves with its provisions. He did not propose at that stage to enter into any arguments in favor of the adoption of the bill, but would simply endeavour to explain its principle, show how the different sections were connected together, and the general grounds covered by the measure. Mr. Cayley went on to explain the nature of the three kinds of licenses proposed, viz., hotel licenses, restaurant licenses (in municipalities), and wholesale licenses, and the difference of accommodation necessary for town and country houses with regard to stabling, etc. Besides these three licenses it is also provided that a wholesale druggist may sell alcohol not exceeding in quantity ten gallons at one time to any person, and all other liquors not exceeding in quantity five gallons at any one time to any properly qualified retail druggist or physician. Provision is made in the bill for districts where licenses shall not be issued if the people do not wish them issued. In such cases it is provided that in any license district in which licenses for the sale of intoxicating liquors are not granted, and in which there are no registered druggists, it shall be the duty of the Lieut.-Governor-in-

Council to appoint for each district one or more suitable persons who shall be members in good standing of a temperance organization established in the district for which he or they shall be appointed, and shall hold office only as long as he shall remain in such standing, to be called Agent for the sale of Alcoholic Liquors, to keep and sell such alcoholic liquors as may be required for medicinal, in chemical, manufacturing and other purposes not inconsistent with the provisions of the ordinance. Such agents shall keep a list of the names of the persons purchasing liquor, the quality and description purchased by each person, and the purpose to which such liquor is intended to be applied. Mr. Cayley spoke of the fees to be paid for the different licenses, and how it was proposed to administer the Act, answering questions which were put to him by the members; after which he pointed out the period of the license year. The question of how a man would get a license was taken up, and the sections bearing on the point referred to. A question by Mr. Mowat on the prosecution fund, and the purposes to which it would be applied, received an explanation. Every provision was being made for the temperance sentiment of the Territories. The steps to be taken by those who wished to prevent a license being issued, and the regulations under which a man who had obtained a license may sell liquor, were recited. Mr. Cayley said he would like if they could insert a provision in the Act forbidding treating, but he was afraid they could not. Clause 92 of the Act provided that when it should be made to appear to any two justices of the peace that any person by excessive drinking of liquor mispends, wastes or lessens his or her estate, or greatly injures his or her health or endangers or interrupts the peace or happiness of his or her family, the justices shall forbid any licensed person of the Territories to sell him or her liquor for the space of one year. In conclusion, Mr. Cayley dealt with the sections regarding adulteration, and the fines and other penalties for offences committed.

Mr. Oliver made a lengthy reply. He did not consider it a bill to restrict the sale of intoxicating liquors, and thought the title could be improved by making it read, "An ordinance to provide for the raising of a revenue for the sale of intoxicating liquors and for the disbursement of such revenue in the administration of the said ordinance" (Laughter). If that was the object of the members of the House they would be justified in voting for the second reading, but if it was not their intention then they would not be justified in so voting, because no amendment could be made in committee that would so radically change the principles of the bill as to make it other than a revenue bill. Mr. Oliver, after pointing out his objections, said he was compelled to oppose the second reading.

Bill read a second time.

Bills Nos. 11 and 14, respecting summary trials and the Salteaux Dairy Association respectively were put through committee of the whole without amendment, read the third time and passed.

House resumed committee of the whole on Bill No. 12, respecting the Game Ordinance. Some amendments were made in the course of discussion. Committee rose and the amendments were then read first and second times.

THURSDAY, Jan. 7th.

Mr. Page introduced Bill (No. 7) to amend and consolidate as amended the Ordinance respecting fire districts. Bill read first time.

The claim of N. N. Lariviere was referred to the Executive Committee.

Mr. Nolin moved the third reading of Bill (No. 12) respecting the Game Ordinance. The bill was read the third time and passed.

Mr. Cayley moved the second reading of Bill (No. 24) to protect the public interest in rivers, streams, and creeks, and explained that it was based upon the Ontario Acts on the same subject. The bill was read the second time.

Mr. Dill moved the second reading of Bill (No. 25) respecting the formation of a Dairyman's Association. The bill was read the second time.

The House went into committee of the whole on Bill (No. 4) respecting fences. After a little discussion on clause 4, the clause was allowed to stand pending the preparation of an amendment, and the committee rose.

House in committee of the whole on Bill (No. 22) respecting the sale

of intoxicating liquors and the issue of licenses therefor.

Discussion took place, and suggestions and amendments made on several clauses. On clause 9, Mr. Oliver moved in amendment that sub-section 2, providing for restaurant licenses, be struck out.

Mr. Cayley thought it would not be fair to the larger towns to strike out this provision, but the clause might be amended by limiting restaurant licenses to towns of a certain size.

Dr. Brett and Mr. Betts having expressed themselves as opposed to restaurant licenses, Mr. Davidson moved in amendment to the amendment that the issuing of liquor licenses be restricted to towns having a population of 2000 or over, but on the division it was declared lost, and Mr. Oliver's amendment agreed to.

On the clause which defines a wholesale license, and provides that the licensee shall not sell less than one half gallon cask or one reputed quart bottle or two reputed pint bottles, Mr. Dill moved in amendment to change one half gallon to five gallons and one quart or two pint bottles to one case.

This was discussed till the Speaker left the chair at 5:30, and after recess Mr. Dill urged the adoption of the amendment on the ground that it would be the smaller evil.

Mr. Mowat thought the amendment was too extreme in its restrictions, and suggested a compromise.

On division both amendments were lost, as were several other amendments on various clauses.

The bill was considered down to clause 47, several clauses being agreed to without discussion, and the committee rose and reported progress.

House adjourned at 11 o'clock.

FRIDAY, Jan. 8.

Reports and petitions were presented by Mr. Haultain.

Mr. Davidson asked the Chairman of the Select Committee on Public Accounts and Printing if he intended calling the committee together, and was answered that the committee had met and transacted the business brought before them.

Mr. Mowat introduced a bill to enable William Laurie to be enrolled as an advocate. Bill read the first time.

Mr. Betts, on suspension of the rules, introduced an ordinance to legalize by-law 144 of the Corporation of Prince Albert; and the bill was put through all the usual stages and passed.

Dr. Brett moved the second reading of Bill (No. 26) respecting the Bell Telephone Company, and it was read a second time.

Bill (No. 27) respecting fire districts was read a second time, and referred to the Standing Committee on Agriculture.

Bill (No. 25) relating to the formation of a Dairyman's Association was put through committee of the whole.

In committee on the whole on Bill (No. 4) respecting fences some alterations were made, and the committee reported the bill with amendment.

House resumed committee of the whole on the License Bill (Mr. Sutherland in the chair). Mr. Cayley moved that a provision be added that "every hotel licensed under this bill shall contain in municipalities not less than six bedrooms, also stabling accommodation for six horses beside his own horse."

Mr. Davidson was of opinion that the number of bedrooms in hotels in towns should be ten at least, so as not to leave the door open to what the House had been protesting against, namely, saloons.

Mr. Cayley said he would agree to that.

After further suggestions the clause was allowed to stand.

Clause 48, providing for prohibition upon a three-fifths majority vote, and a deposit of \$200 with the petition for a poll, was discussed at length, and amendments made but lost on division.

The House adjourned.

SATURDAY, Jan. 9th.

Mr. Mowat and Mr. Dill presented petitions.

House resumed committee of the whole on Bill (No. 6) respecting deputy clerks and sheriffs, and Dr. Brett's amendment to add Anthracite to the places to come under this ordinance, was remarked upon, and Mr. Prince hoped the mover would not press it.

Mr. Davidson said his was one of the districts referred to, and he had dropped his amendment for the reason given by Mr. Prince, but if new claims were to be put up he would certainly again press the claims of Qu'Appelle.

The amendment was withdrawn.

and after several clauses had been agreed to the committee rose and reported progress.

His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor entered the chamber and formally assented to two bills.

House resumed committee of the whole on the License Bill, and after considering some of the clauses the committee rose and reported progress.

The House adjourned.

MOOSOMIN.

Mr. Geo. Jupp, of Fleming, was in town on Saturday on business.

Mr. J. A. Cowan, of Qu'Appelle, paid this city a visit last week.

Miss Fleming, of Owen Sound, is at present visiting her brother, Mr. Alex. Fleming, of this place.

The flag on the Court House has been flying at half mast for three days, in reverence to the late Duke of Clarence.

The Moosomin Curling Club Co. (Limited) will hold their annual shareholders meeting on the 19th inst.

Mr. Fleming intends holding a carnival at his skating rink in the near future. Get your costumes ready.

Mr

Home & Gossip.

Little Local Links in the Town's Chain of History.

QU'APPELLE.

—Dr. Cowan, of Regina, was in town a few days last week on business.

—Mr. E. G. Henham has left the College and gone to St. John's College Winnipeg.

—Mr. Travis, of Elkhorn, who was formerly telegraph operator here, is in town.

—The wind, which was unusually frolicsome on Monday night, blew down the hind portion of Mr. J. B. Milliken's house.

—There is a vacancy at the office of the Progress Printing Co. for an intelligent youth to learn the printing business.

—If you want anything cheap in the shape of a house, land, oxen or a piano consult, our advertisement columns.

—The Glengarry election has resulted in the return of Major McLennan, the Liberal-Conservative candidate, by an increased majority.

—Mr. John Stevens, who has been night operator at Qu'Appelle for a short time, left on Monday night for Broadview. Mr. Mayhew takes his place here.

—Mr. Justice Wetmore and his secretary, Mr. E. J. Duggan, left Moosomin on Monday for Regina, to open the Hetcher investigation on Tuesday.

—The first meeting of the year of the Council of the Municipality of South Qu'Appelle was held on Monday last in McLean's Hall. The minutes will appear next week.

—Mr. Paterson has gone to St. Thomas, Ont., on a visit, and expects to be absent about a month. In his absence Mr. Edward Simpson will be editor and manager of the Progress.

—Mr. A. B. Potter, of White-wood, had his arm caught in the cylinder of a thresher on Jan. 6th, and lacerated to such an extent that the doctor found it necessary to have it amputated below the elbow.

—A copy of the Christmas number of the Weekly Record, published at Rat Portage by Mr. J. Weidman, was received at this office. The publication contains special articles on local institutions, etc., and is well illustrated. It does credit to the printer.

—The best curling game of the season took place on Saturday night for the McIntosh trophy. The contesting rinks being, McNaughton, Milliken, Paterson, Beauchamp (skip), Barnes, Kerr, Davidson, Johnston (skip). Result, Beauchamp 16, Johnston 12.

—Mr. Carrick, of Wolseley, is desirous that the public should be made acquainted with the fact that he has not been committed for trial on a charge of horse stealing, the paragraph in our Wolseley notes, which appeared in a recent issue, not being correct as applied to him.

—An elegant double bank and pedal organ, by W. Bell & Co., of Guelph, has been placed in St. Peter's Pro-Cathedral by the Vestry. The instrument is one of the best ever brought into this district, and was purchased from Mr. J. B. Milliken, local agent for Messrs. Grundy & Co., Winnipeg.

—Among many amendments to the Municipal law embodied in the bill introduced by Mr. Davidson that exempting farmers' personal property to the extent of \$300 will be acceptable to the settlers whose efforts in improving their homesteads enhances the value of land held by speculation, still they do not receive a corresponding benefit.

—The Rev. H. S. Akhurst had a somewhat unpleasant experience on Thursday night last, by the sleigh in which he was riding getting upset. Fortunately he was near home, and the horse, after a short career of freedom, made for the stable, neither the animal or its master being any worse for the adventure.

—A team belonging to John Wilson, of Balgonie, ran away a few days ago. They turned in on the railway track, and ran about two hundred yards in front of a freight train. Eventually they fell into a culvert, and the train was stopped within about ten yards of the place. The horses were released from their awkward position without any damage being done.

—The third annual convention of the Young Men's Christian Associations of the Canadian North-West is to be held in Brandon, commencing on February 11th and continuing till the 14th. Mr. C. M. Copeland, provincial secretary, was in Qu'Appelle on Sunday last, and visited the churches, where he gave information for any who purposed attending the convention. It is expected there will be a large gathering of those who are interested in their own spiritual well-being and in that of their fellows.

—On Tuesday, the 12th inst., at Edgeley, Mr. John Howden was united in the bonds of matrimony to Miss Elizabeth Tate, daughter of Mr. John Tate. The ceremony was performed at the residence of the bride's father. The couple have the good wishes of their many friends.

—On Friday last an accident happened to a horse belonging to Mr. James Craig whereby it sustained injuries of such a serious nature that it had to be slaughtered. The animal was being worked in the vicinity of the mill, and fell into a tank of hot water, where it was dreadfully scalded before it could be got out. Attempts to cure it were abandoned, and the valuable animal was shot.

Three loads of wheat were brought into the mill, here, on Tuesday, by as many different farmers, whose respective crops averaged 56, 54, 52 bushels to the acre. The samples were No. 1 hard, and each turned the scale at 62 lbs. to the bushel. Let us hear from the Regina Plains.—*Vadite.*

MR. DEWDNEY REMITS THE RECENT CHARGES.

The Hon. Mr. Dewdney, being interviewed in reference to the charges made against him by the Regina Leader of January 5th, makes the following statements, which we think entirely destroy the impression intended to be left by the publication of the stolen letter.

Q. Have you seen the Regina Leader of the 5th January, with attacks upon yourself?

A. Yes.

Q. Would you like to make any remarks in regard to them?

A. There is, I find, a good deal of trash in Mr. Davin's article which is not worth while referring to. He appears to have made three charges against me; the first is in reference to the posting of a notice on an Indian Reserve; the second is regarding the selection of the townsite of the Capital of the North-West Territories; the third is in reference to a Syndicate which purchased some Hudson Bay sections of land in the North-West.

Regarding the first, I may say that the whole of the paragraph in the Leader, with the exception of the posting of the notice, is false. At the time the Treaty was made with the Indians, in 1876 or thereabouts, the "Flat" at Fort Qu'Appelle was promised to them as a Treaty Payment Reserve, and the Indians were paid there up to 1883 or 1884, and attached very great importance to it. I considered it my duty as Indian Commissioner to warn the public that this land was an Indian Reserve, and I should not have been doing my duty had I neglected to do so, as on more than one occasion the Indians had requested that they might always be paid at that place, and I had contended that no disposition should be made of the "Flat" without an understanding being first arrived at with the Indians. I think it will be acknowledged that the success of our Indian management has been due to adhering strictly to treaty obligations. A very full report of this is in the Department.

Q. That seems a satisfactory explanation. Now, what about the selection of the town site for the Capital of the North-West Territories?

A. Oh, that is an old story, and was thrashed out years ago in the House of Commons. If you will refer to Hansard of 1883 and 1884 you will find that motions were made in the House, and the whole matter was thoroughly discussed. I may say, however, that the article in the Leader on that point is so full of inaccuracies and misrepresentations that it would take too much of your space in an interview to follow them. Suffice it to say that I did not choose the Regina town site; that was done by the Government and the Canadian Pacific Railway Company. I had been requested by the Premier to report to him my views as to the location of the new Capital of the Territories, and to consider it in connection with the establishment of the headquarters of the Mounted Police. My office being in Winnipeg at the time I proceeded West as far as Rush Lake, examining the several districts which were thought might suit, namely, Indian Head, Troy, (now Qu'Appelle Station), Pileo, Bones, and Moose Jaw Creek. I reported that, taking everything into consideration, I thought the crossing of the Railway at Pileo, Bones was as good a point as any, and more central, and that it was surrounded by a very large area of the best wheat land in the territory. This is the only part I took in the selection of the site for the new Capital; the Government and the Canadian Pacific Railway people settled the rest, and I did not know what sections of land they selected until after my return to the West the second time.

Q. What about the Syndicate who bought Hudson Bay sections?

A. There never was any secret about that; it was simply a business transaction by a few gentlemen in Winnipeg who had money to invest,

and who took the chances of having the value of their property increased by the construction of the C.P.R. through the Territories. The land was purchased before the Railway entered the Territories, and before it was known where the line would run. This was fully discussed in the House in 1883.

Q. Did the site for the Capital centre on Section 26, one of the Hudson Bay Sections owned by the Syndicate?

A. No, it is not true that the town was located on that Section. I never heard that it was either suggested or recommended by anybody. The Station was located nearly two miles from Section 26.

Q. Do you know whether this Syndicate, as stated by Mr. Davin deprived the Government, the C.P.R., and the North-West Land Company of the enormous sums of money mentioned by him?

A. The figures quoted in the article are pure inventions, and published for effect. For my own part, instead of making anything, I never got back a dollar of the money I put into it.

Q. What about the half section taken up by Robert Green, and the letter published in the Leader?

A. In regard to this I may explain that in the spring of 1882 I engaged Green in Winnipeg as teamster to accompany me West; he had been taking charge in Winnipeg of some horses belonging to me, and being a practical farmer he agreed to go with me as teamster, on the understanding that if he saw a good location to settle in he might be allowed to take up a place. When we reached the Pileo, Bones he liked the land, and as there were a great number of people gathering there he made up his mind to locate in that district. Mr. Gore, D.L.S., who was there locating settlers, informed Green that there was a half section not taken up, so he left me and settled on it. It was not then known whether the Railway would cross the Creek at the present town site or six miles further North, although the impression was that it would go South. Later on, when I became satisfied which route the line would take, and knowing that Green would be in the mile belt I considered it would be an act of kindness to caution him against making any extensive improvements, as he might not be able to secure an entry for it. When I left him, which was shortly after he took it up, he proposed to put up some hay, as there was considerable on his half section, and subsequently, when I found that the Government would be likely to winter several horses in that section of country I advised him to put up all the hay he could, as it would all be required, and in order that he might not be interfered with by speculative squatters he was told that if any questions were asked to say that the land belonged to the Government, as it really did, being in the mile belt.

Q. Mr. Davin infers that you had an interest in this land taken up by Green, is that correct?

A. No, it is absolutely false. My only wish was to see Green well located in a good section of country, I considered him a very worthy man, and so he is considered, I believe, by all who know him. I may add that when he was notified that he was on reserved Government land he left it, and did not return until the Commissioners appointed to investigate squatters' claims reported, when he was awarded an entry, carried out his homestead conditions, and finally got his patent. These are my recollections of what happened nearly ten years ago.

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WM. BRYDON, Secretary-Treasurer.

THE ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

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JAMES H. BENSON, Sheriff.

Sheriff's Office, Regina, Nov. 11th, 1891.

SHERIFF'S SALE

NORTH-WEST TERRITORIES, Judicial District of Eastern Assiniboia, to wit:

By virtue of a Writ of Execution, issued out of the Supreme Court of the North-West Territories, Judicial District of Eastern Assiniboia, at the suit of R. W. Francis vs. George Anderson and to me directed against the lands of George Anderson, I have seized and taken into Execution the following Lands, namely:—Lots 25 in Block 117, and Lots 1 and 2 in Block 121, in the Township of Grenfell, in the North-West Territories, the right, title and interest of defendant, George Anderson, I shall offer for sale on Saturday, the twelfth day of March, at the Court House, Moosomin, at the hour of twelve o'clock noon.

GEO. B. MURPHY, Sheriff.

Sheriff's office Moosomin, Assa., Dec. 3rd, 1891.

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A. M. BURGESS, Deputy of the Minister of the Interior, Department of the Interior, Ottawa, Jan. 8th, 1892. 13-15.

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